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Judge Fitzgerald Says That the old Register

CAN BE USED AT THE BOND ELEC- TION.

This Being the Case No Voter in Berkeley Will Lose His Vote a Week From Saturday.

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District Attorney Snook has received a letter from the Attorney General in which it is shown that it is not necessary for residents in the county towns in which elections are to be held prior to the forthcoming general election to be registered in the new great register as a prerequisite for voting at those town elections. Where such local elections are to be held registration in the cancelled great register will suffice for voting.

After referring to the fact that the old great register had been cancelled by the supervisors, the Attorney General says:

"I see that there are to be several elections to be held before the next general election in said county, namely: a municipal election at Hayward, a special bond election in Berkeley, and also an election in the city of Alameda. You ask whether or not the old great register will suffice for their names being on the old register, and not whether or not the act entitled 'An act concerning special elections' (statutes 1878-79) is applicable to municipal elections."

"Of an opinion that the section of the Political Code, under which the order of the Board of Supervisors of the 17th of February was made, ordering a new registration of voters, applies to the next general election and elections subsequent to that only, and that the cancellation of the last printed great register does not take effect till the new great register ordered by the Board of Supervisors is printed. Therefore, at any special municipal election held prior to the time the new great register shall be printed, the great register which was used at the next preceding general election should be used."

"The act of 1878 Statutes 1877-78, 73, provides that at any special election held in any county, copies of the Great Register printed and used at the next preceding general election shall be used."

"The election to be held in Berkeley comes within the statute. As to whether or not the act applies to municipal elections it is unnecessary to determine for reasons given above. The act, however, serves to show the general intention of the legislature as to the use of the register at elections other than general elections. Respectfully,
W. F. FITZGERALD,
Attorney General."

ABOUT REGISTRATION

County Clerk Frank Jordan Says That

EVERY VOTER IN THE COUNTY SHALL BE REGISTERED.

Postal Cards Will Be Sent to all During the Next Sixty Days.

News for Voters.

County Clerk Jordan has issued the following letter to set the minds of voters at rest, who have sent in their affidavits of registration:

ERROR GAZETTE. Kindly through the columns of your journal inform voters that those who have sent in their affidavits of registration will receive postal cards as soon as it is possible to examine, precinct, file, compile and register the same. Give your readers to understand that the sending out of the postals is not a legal requirement, but that in order to avoid mistakes and to put voters at ease concerning their registration, I have undertaken as soon as possible after affidavits are received, and before the close of registration to inform all who have made such affidavits of the fact of the actual entry of their names upon the Great Register.

It is estimated that there will be about 22,000 names on the next Great Register. In 30 days we have taken in nearly 13,000 affidavits and there are now over four months to secure the remaining 9000. This great rush has necessarily delayed the sending out of postals.

State for the benefit of your readers whose affidavits have been sent in that if within the next sixty days postals are not received they should then make inquiries. After the rush is over there will be less delay in sending out postals; also please inform your readers that I did hope to be able to furnish affidavits of registration partly filled out to each voter in the county whose name was on the last Great Register and also the last published directory and those who were actual residents of the different townships.

In the city of Oakland I have prepared and mailed over 10,000 such affidavits, and am now having prepared affidavits for the remaining districts. The task I find is a difficult one, because it is necessary to segregate the names of those who have already registered from those to be registered, and this necessarily takes a good deal of time.

Assure your readers that I earnestly desire to have on the next Great Register the name of every man in this county who is entitled to vote, and to that end have appointed a large number of deputies for the accommodation of the voters in the different districts of the County and to facilitate the work of registration. All I ask is that the voters will give reasonable attention to this matter, which concerns them so directly, and present their affidavits as soon as possible. Very truly,
FRANK JORDAN,
County Clerk.

THE BOYS AND GIRLS ARE

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Of a Trip to the Springs for Their Favorite School Teacher.

Hundreds of Votes.

The contest for the most popular teacher is now becoming extremely exciting, and the votes are coming in this office by the hundreds for the different candidates. Mrs. Wilkes still maintains first lead, and has gone away ahead of the 1000 mark.

Hundreds of votes also come in for Miss Hamilton, and she, too, has passed the thousand mark. Miss Squires, of the North Berkeley school, received several hundred votes today, and she is fast coming to the top of the heap. Dozens of boys and girls are now in the field working for the different teachers whom they favor, and they are bringing subscriptions to this office, the dozens every day, which keeps our route agent on the jump to see that they are delivered. In this direction we desire our solicitors to ascertain after they have handed in the name of any subscriber, whether the person is being served, as we don't wish any of our subscribers to be slighted, but want them all to get their papers regularly every evening.

We learn that by Monday next there will be 10 or 15 more teachers in the race, and that their friends will cast plumpers for them by bringing several yearly subscriptions. There is lots of time, however, and many names that do not appear, may soon be dangerously close to the top of the list, while others who now have only a few votes will also make it lively for those who are now leaders.

Because a teacher has only a dozen or so votes now is no indication that they will not have several hundred tomorrow. The boys and girls are just getting warmed up in this fight and now it will be a battle royal until the first day of June. While they are all very anxious for their teachers to win the first prize they are not overlooking the fact that they have an opportunity of winning a fine bicycle or shotgun or one of the numerous other prizes that the GAZETTE is offering as premiums.

Miss Louise Lauterbach, Archie Taber, Charles Edgar and George Crabtree are doing some lively work and it is nip and tuck with them as to who shall keep in the lead. As they are all rustlers the fight between them will be watched by their young friends with considerable interest. They will have to watch their present standing very close as there are others who are steadily coming to the front and who will make things lively for them, very shortly.

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